

CRYSTALLIZATION AND STRUCTURE DETERMINATION OF *STAPHYLOCOCCUS AUREUS* NAD SYNTHETASE

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

An unliganded form of *Staphylococcus aureus* NAD synthetase (*S. aureus* NadE) has been crystallized, and the three-dimensional x-ray crystal structure has been solved to 2.3 \AA resolution. The x-ray crystal structure is useful for solving the structure of other molecules or molecular complexes, and designing inhibitors of *S. aureus* NadE activity.

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